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IN OVO DELIVERY OF AN IMMUNOGEN CONTAINING IMPLANT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate):

- X UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION including:
 - X Specification (46 consecutively numbered pgs, including 66 claims on 10 consecutively numbered pgs and a 1 pg Abstract);
 - X Drawings (5 figures on 3 sheets);
 - A copy of the signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the prior application (_ pgs).
- X Application Data Sheet (2 pgs).
- X An itemized return postcard.
- A certified copy of a _ application, Serial No. __, filed ____, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- Computer readable form of "Sequence Listing." Applicants state that the paper copy form of the "Sequence Listing" section of the present application, and the computer readable form submitted herewith, are the same.
- X Other: Request for Filing a Divisional Patent Application under Rule 1.53(b) (3 pgs); Preliminary Amendment (3 pgs); and a copy of the Election under 37 C.F.R. §3.71, Revocation, Power of Attorney, and Certification under §3.73(b) filed in the prior application (5 pgs).

X A check in the amount of \$1,770 to pay the filing fee, which is calculated below:

APPLICATION FILING FEE					
	Number of Pending Claims (1)	Claims Included in Basic Filing Fee (2)	Number of Extra Claims (1-2)	Cost per Extra Claim	Fee Required
Total Claims	66	- 20 =	46	x \$18 =	\$828
Independent Claims	5	- 3 =	2	x \$86 =	\$172
One or More Multiple Dependent Claims Presented? If Yes, Enter \$290 Here →					\$0
Enter Basic Filing Fee (Utility Patent-\$770) Here →				\$770	
Total Application Filing Fee				\$1,770	

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers and please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4895. Triplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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Docket Number	Anticipated Classification		Prior Application	
293.00010102	Class	Subclass	Examiner Patricia A. Patten	Art Unit 1654

REQUEST F	OR FILING A	A DIVISION	AL PATENT	APPLICATION
	UN	DER RULE	1.53(b)	

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a request for filing a divisional application under 37 CFR §1.53(b) of Serial No. 09/449,271, Confirmation No. 6070, filed on November 24, 1999, entitled IN OVO DELIVERY OF AN IMMUNOGEN CONTAINING IMPLANT by the following inventor(s) (name, address, and citizenship):

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1. __ Enclosed is a copy of the specification (including claims, abstract, and drawings) as filed in the prior application.

- 2. X Enclosed is a new specification (including claims and abstract). The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference. No new matter has been added.
- 3. __ Enclosed is a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the prior application.
- 4. X Enclosed is a copy of the Election under 37 C.F.R. §3.71, Revocation, Power of Attorney, and Certificate under §3.73(b) filed in the prior application.
- 5. __ Enclosed are Replacement Drawings (_ sheets).
- 6. ___ Before calculating the filing fee, cancel in this application claims _____, as described in the attached Preliminary Amendment. (At least one independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)

- 7. \underline{X} A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- 8. \underline{X} The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED					
NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	BASIC FEE \$770	
Total Claims	66-20 =	46	\$18	\$828	
Independent Claims	5-3 =	2	\$86	\$172	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED			\$290	\$0	
			FILING FEE:	\$1,770	

- 9. \underline{X} A check in the amount of \$1,770 is attached.
- 10. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in 37 CFR §1.16 to 1.18 which may be required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Account No. 13-4895.
- This application is being filed by less than all of the inventors named in the prior application. Please delete the names of the following inventor(s) who are not inventors of the invention claimed in the present application:
- 12. ___ Priority of foreign application Serial No. ___, filed on ___ in (country) ____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- 13. X The prior application is assigned of record to Willmar Poultry Company, Inc.
- 14. \underline{X} The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:

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- 15. __ Small Entity Status is entitled to be asserted in the above-identified application.
- 16. X Application Data Sheet.

Filed: Herewith

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